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1 CHEVRON USA, INC.

2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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4 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – WESTERN DIVISION

5 MARK SNOOKAL, an individual,  
6 Plaintiff,

7 vs.

8 CHEVRON USA, INC., a California  
9 Corporation, and DOES 1 through 10,  
10 inclusive,

11 Defendants.

12 Case No. 2:23-cv-06302-HDV-AJR

13 **STIPULATION TO EXTEND TIME  
14 TO RESPOND TO INITIAL  
15 COMPLAINT BY NOT MORE  
16 THAN 30 DAYS (L.R. 8-3)**

17 Complaint served: August 9, 2023  
18 Current response date: August 30, 2023  
19 New response date: September 19, 2023

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1 Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b) and Local Rule 8-3, Plaintiff  
2 Mark Snookal (“Plaintiff”) and Defendant Chevron USA, Inc. (“Defendant”)  
3 (collectively, the “Parties”), by and through their respective counsel of record,  
4 hereby stipulate and agree as follows:

5 WHEREAS, Plaintiff filed his Complaint on August 3, 2023 (ECF No. 1);

6 WHEREAS, the Complaint was personally served on Defendant on August 9,  
7 2023 (ECF No. 9);

8 WHEREAS, counsel for Defendant was recently retained, and first conferred  
9 with Plaintiff’s counsel about Plaintiff’s claims on August 22, 2023;

10 WHEREAS, Defendant has been diligently investigating the matter so as to  
11 prepare a response, but needs more time to complete its investigation;

12 NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties hereby stipulate and agree through their  
13 respective counsel as follows: Defendant’s deadline to file an answer to Plaintiff’s  
14 Complaint shall be extended by twenty (20) days, from August 30, 2023 to  
15 September 19, 2023.

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17 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

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19 Dated: August 23, 2023

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## **SIGNATURE ATTESTATION**

2 Pursuant to Local Rule 5-4.3.4(a)(2), I certify that all other signatories listed,  
3 and on whose behalf the filing is submitted, concur in the foregoing document's  
4 content and have authorized me to affix their electronic signature on the foregoing  
5 document.

Dated: August 23, 2023

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